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ALL-AMERICA AWARD WINNER FOR 1968

SCARLET KNIGHT

1968—THE BEST YEAR YET,

Miss All-American Beauty

(left and opposite page)

ALL-AMERICA AWARD WINNER FOR 1968



Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2625.* In our opinion, Miss All-American Beauty is not only the finest pink rose to date, but one of the very best roses ever offered. It is that good. The sheer beauty . . . the breathtaking new kind of color and freshness . . . the vitality and performance of this All-America Winner practically defies description. The color is an illuminated pink; a sultry pink that's clean, crisp and solid with no blemishes or other shadings; it's an exciting pink that holds right up to the end of the bloom. The buds are a solid indication of the wonderful blooms to come . . . medium long, tapering and bursting with color; unfurling slowly to big, lively blooms 5 inches or more across. Flowers are magnificent; fully double, cup-shaped, with 50 to 60 sculptured petals of excellent substance and are borne (usually) singly on medium long, strong stems and are produced in profusion throughout the season. The plant has excellent vigor as is evidenced by the magnificent blooms it produces. It grows approximately 4 to 4½ feet in height, is well-branched and very shapely. Foliage is especially attractive; large, sage-green and very full. On top of it all, there is fragrance . . . a heady Tea fragrance.

\$4 ea.—3 or more, \$3.55 ea.

Scarlet Knight

(shown left and on the front cover)

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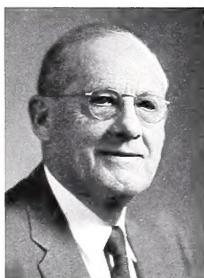


Grandiflora. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2692.* Scarlet Knight is a wonderful new Grandiflora which fills a need in this class for a good red rose with excellent form and color. This is a rich, vibrant red Grandiflora—an eye-catching, velvety scarlet-red that does not blue as it ages. The well-shaped buds open from a deep, dark red to blooms of classic, high-centered form, 4 to 5 inches across. Bloom comes usually two or three to the stem with occasional single blooms which are excellent for cutting. Long, strong stems hold the many blooms firmly upright. Not only are the blooms exceptionally beautiful, but Scarlet Knight produces so many of them all season. The plant has exceptional vigor, grows medium to tall with a fine, upright habit. Excellent foliage of a rich leathery green.

\$4 ea.—3 or more, \$3.55 ea.



EUROPEANA, All-America Award Winner for 1968—(see back cover)



Dear Gardening Friends:

We are proud to have received all three "AARS Awards" for 1968 on Star Rose entries in the All-America Rose Selections Trials.

I have long wondered if American rose gardeners are really aware of the importance of the All-America Rose Selections Award . . . the many years of testing and careful judging through which these varieties must pass before receiving an Award. In order for a rose to qualify for the "AARS Award" it must be entered in each of the 24 Official Test Gardens located throughout the United States. Here these roses are tested and scored for two full years by qualified judges. There are usually 50 to 70 entries each year. The roses are scored for color, form, vigor, disease resistance, foliage, etc. Roses that seem most distinctive and that score high over the two-year period are chosen for these Awards. As many as ten years may elapse from the time a hybridizer makes his cross until a particular rose can be placed on the market as an All-America Winner.

The hybridizing, growing the new plants and selection of the two to three best seedlings for entry in AARS trials requires five or more years. Two more years are required for the AARS testing, and then two more for nurserymen to produce the plants for your garden.

You can see why the AARS Seal which goes on Award Winners is conclusive proof of the high quality of any rose that bears it. I heartily recommend that you include MISS ALL-AMERICAN BEAUTY, SCARLET KNIGHT and EUROPEANA, the new 1968 All-America Award Winners, in your next order.

We practice fall planting in our own garden and I recommend it to our customers except in the far North and the South. The only special attention required is to hill soil up around the tops immediately after planting to protect them from wind, sun and cold until they get established in their new home.

Sincerely,

S. B. HUTTON, SR., Chairman of the Board

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Offer No. 2

GREATEST
ALL-AMERICA
OFFER, YET!

We are pleased to make you this special All-America Offer. In fact, this is the first time we have ever made a special offer which includes a Hybrid Tea, a Grandiflora and a Floribunda. We're doing it now only because all 3 of these great new roses will bring you tremendous satisfaction and enjoyment and we are anxious to have you find this out for yourselves.

MISS ALL-AMERICAN
BEAUTY, Hybrid Tea
SCARLET KNIGHT,
Grandiflora
EUROPEANA, Floribunda

3 PLANTS—Only \$9.75

FOR ALL-AMERICA ROSES

Three Great New Roses . . . All with exceptional color, tremendous vigor and profuse bloom!



Miss All-American Beauty

ALL-AMERICA AWARD WINNER FOR 1968



NEW FOR 1968



Star Rose® Guarantee

Our roses are guaranteed to grow and bloom as they should for one growing season. If they do not, we will replace them or refund the purchase price.



Aventure (left) Hybrid Tea. (Croix.) *Plant Pat. 2500.* Here is a wonderful new rose which is going to have to compete with the great All-America introductions for this year . . . and it is good enough to do so. You'll especially like the gorgeous orange-red color; a warm, rich, orange-red on the outside of the petals with just an added touch of vermillion on the inside of the petals. The medium long, pointed buds have excellent shape and show a bright, eye-catching signal red as they first open. Buds open slowly to a beautiful, large, 4½ to 5-inch, very solid bloom having 45 to 50 petals. Bloom is high-centered at first, becoming cup-shaped, with good form, substance and holding qualities. This is a strong-growing rose, too. Upright but well-branched, it grows medium tall with good strong canes. Foliage is moderately large, very full, attractive parsley-green. A light, but enticing Tea fragrance makes this new 1968 introduction a welcome addition.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.

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The Star Rose growing fields, over 600 acres of them, are located in the Southeast corner of Pennsylvania . . . just far enough south to gain those few weeks of extra growing time to produce a superb plant and just far enough north to get the early frost required to "harden-off" the plant in time to harvest and ship for fall planting.

Whether you plant your Star Roses in the Fall or Spring, it means that:

1. You get as nearly perfect a rose plant as possible because it is grown by professionals, grown in an ideal climate, and grown in the right kind of soil.
2. Your plants are shipped "fresh dug." They're in prime condition, full of moisture and ready to grow.
3. And because of these reasons, we can make our famous Star Rose "Unconditional Guarantee." See pages 4, 9, 13.

Lucky Lady (left) Grandiflora. (Swim & Armstrong.) *Plant Pat. App. For.* This new Grandiflora is outstanding for the lovely and unusual pink color of the buds and flowers; for the exceptional vigor of the rounded, beautifully foliated plant, and for the great quantities of bloom which it carries. The urn-shaped bud is larger than average and the double flower is made up of 25 to 30 large petals which recurve gracefully and give a fully double appearance throughout its life. The flower is almost a bi-color—light, clear pink on the face of the petal and deeper, reddish pink on the reverse—a most lively, cheerful shade of pink. Typical of a Grandiflora, this free-blooming variety carries most of its flowers in clusters of good stem length, but some of them singly. A tall, vigorous grower with excellent foliage. You'll want to plant this rose in the "back row" where it can show off its masses of bloom.

\$4 ea.—3 or more, \$3.55 ea.

Big Red

(below) NEW FOR 1967! Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2693.* Here is a big, bold, boisterous rose—from the first time we saw it in our test block, it has been known as Big Red because it is just that, a big, vibrant, red-red, beautiful rose. The dramatic, dusky, velvet-red blooms are oversize not only in diameter, but in depth as well. Even the well-formed, somewhat curling petals are extra large. In fact, it's the largest red rose we know. At its very best, one bloom alone seems almost like a bouquet. The buds are robust, full and well-pointed, opening into fully double, high-centered blooms. Petals are unusually large, curling slightly in classic rose form to produce an exceptionally firm bloom for so large a rose. The plant is tall and upright, but somewhat spreading, to take care of the many blooms it habitually carries. Excellent, large, grey-green foliage covers the plant well. Give it a little extra room to grow and display its beauty.

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1. You're buying direct from the grower. You receive plants in prime condition from specialists who know quality and how to maintain it.
2. You get a much wider selection. Few retailers can stock the wide selection offered by the grower.

Summer Rainbow

(below) NEW FOR 1967! Hybrid Tea. (R. Jelly.) *Plant Pat. App. For.* This Hybrid Tea has the unusual distinction of having two different colors so harmoniously blended it is difficult to tell where one begins and the other leaves off. Summer Rainbow is refreshingly beautiful with petals of rich-textured pink underlaid with a mist of fine chrome-yellow. It is the kind of rose that always seems to sparkle, even in the hot mid-day sun. In bud and bloom, this rose has superb form. The bud is solid but sculptured, much like the famous Peace rose, and opens into a fully double bloom of 50 to 60 petals with good substance. This buxom beauty is of medium height with straight sturdy stems and very full, medium green foliage. Blooms come usually one or two to a stem. It's an excellent cutting rose . . . You'll like Summer Rainbow for its tremendous ability to please.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.

Offer No. 5

4 SUPERB NEW ROSES

AVVENTURE
LUCKY LADY
BIG RED
SUMMER RAINBOW

4 PLANTS—\$12.85





Sincera (above) Hybrid Tea. (Camprubi.) *Plant Pat. 2055.* This is one of the best all-round white roses in the world today. Its blooms are large, pure white and exceptionally beautiful. It's a fresh, cold white, much more beautiful than we've been able to portray in the illustration. We just can't seem to capture the cool, clear, crisp beauty of this wonderful white rose. Buds are medium long, solid and somewhat cup-shaped, opening into substantial flowers of 45 petals or more. The fully open bloom is of excellent substance, with classic shape and form and held upright on good straight stems . . . perfect for cutting and exhibiting. This is a good steady producer of bloom all season long, and that late September bloom looks just as good as the first one you cut in June. The plant is quite vigorous—extremely so for a white rose, growing to middle height in a broad but upright fashion, and is as decorative as the splendid white blooms it bears. Foliage is medium size, light green and rugged. Sincera's outstanding blooms, fine sturdy plant and excellent foliage offer a full measure of satisfaction from every standpoint.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.



Hybrid Tea Roses

These are the roses one normally thinks of when the word "rose" is mentioned. Hybrid Tea roses usually have large, pointed buds and normally come singly to a stem though sometimes two or three. Bloom is in the classic style, being usually high-centered, with good form and substance and with their strong stems are ideal for cutting. Colors and fragrance come in a wide range, depending upon the kind. They normally range from $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 feet in height. Grandiflora Roses are a cross between the Hybrid Tea and Floribunda and flower in clusters but have the classic form and are suitable for cutting like Hybrid Teas. They usually grow taller than most Floribundas.



Mister Lincoln (lower left) Hybrid Tea. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2370.* We believe this to be the finest red rose of all time. Strong, vibrant and beautiful, Mister Lincoln produces masses of deep, velvety-red blooms, 6 inches wide and more, that stand tall on the strong plant. The bud is long, full and well pointed, becoming urn-shaped as the large petals begin to curl back from their high centers. The very fragrant flowers are ideal for cutting—long-stemmed beauties that hold their form and color well and look especially brilliant in a bouquet. With heavy, well-branched, long canes, Mister Lincoln, used as a plant standing alone or placed in the "back row," lifts your garden to new heights of beauty. Large, glossy, dark green leaves are tailor-made for this very vigorous, upright plant, for they cover it exceptionally well from the ground up.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.

Tropicana (right) Hybrid Tea. (Tantau.) *Plant Pat. 1969.* One of the most outstanding roses introduced over the past 10 years.

 Tropicana has everything—vigor, excellent foliage, good fragrance and especially fine color—in our opinion, you will seldom see a color as outstanding as this for it is truly a classic. The color is an orange-red, bright, intense, not too deep, but full of a luminous quality that seems to make it come alive. This rich, differently beautiful color holds exceedingly well, too, something you'll really appreciate when using these magnificent roses in a bouquet. Every cane bears one or more medium large, 4½ to 5-inch, double blooms, each with a good, strong fragrance. Notable, too, is the well-branched, well-shaped plant covered with substantial shiny green foliage; decorative in its own right. This rose is a tall but bushy grower with good disease resistance. Tropicana is bound to please you beyond expectations—if you have one you will want more. Rarely does a rose come along that pleases so many people. And this Tropicana has done ever since it was introduced in the fall of 1962.

\$3.75 ea.—3 or more, \$3.30 ea.

All roses in this catalog are everblooming unless stated otherwise.

ROSES YOU'LL BE PROUD OF

Offer No. 7

4 PLANTS
SINCERA
MISTER LINCOLN
TROPICANA
LADY X

\$11.90



Lady X (left) NEW FOR 1967! Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.)

Plant Pat. 2691. At last, a strong-growing lavender! A beautiful lavender rose with excellent form; a classic in bud and bloom. Lady X is an exciting new color in roses—soft, cool pink-lavender, ever-so-lightly brushed with polished silver. It's this fresh new color and exquisite form that makes this new lavender rose so exceptional. Even though the color is so delicately beautiful, it holds well, making Lady X a fine cutting rose. The "high fashion" stylish bud is long and slender, opening slowly into a double, high-centered bloom made even more attractive as the petal edges roll outward in scroll-like fashion. The long-lasting flowers have a light alluring fragrance and are of good substance with long-lasting qualities; medium large in size and held on tall, graceful stems. A very tall, shapely, well-branched, vigorous plant makes Lady X a "back-row" display rose. Thorns are scarce and heavy green foliage is perfect for the height of the rose and complements its lovely color. You'll particularly like this new rose for the interest and beauty it will add to your garden and arrangements. Once you grow it, you will want to add more to your garden next year.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.





American Heritage

(left) Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts.) Plant Pat. 2687. Here is a new rose distinguished by a continuous succession of changing color—shades of cream to a light canary-yellow in the opening flower, contrasting with scarlet and vermillion at the half-open stage, plus a flush of crimson on the petal edges of the mature bloom. In the bud, American Heritage is perfection itself—very long, tapering and urn-shaped. The mature flowers, containing 50 to 60 petals, are quite large—5 inches across and more—full-bodied and high-centered, with a light Tea fragrance. American Heritage is a rose that continuously grows on you. Its subtle change of beauty, its soft, enchanting glamour may not hit you at first but at one time or another during the season you will come to realize what a wonderful rose it is. This is a tall, vigorous plant with large, leathery, semi-glossy leaves having a striking red coloration blended with dark olive-green. American Heritage's "chameleon-like" ability to change its colors, particularly with changes in temperature, make it one of the most interesting as well as one of the most beautiful we offer. We know you will be well pleased with it.

\$4 ea.—3 or more, \$3.55 ea.



No other flowering plant gives more bloom than the rose

Compare the rose with its continuous blooming season of 4 to 6 months, even 10 months in the deep South, with any other flowering plant in your garden—Tulips, Lilacs, Azaleas, Mums, Dahlias, etc. Do this and you can readily see why the rose is so popular; why so many people add more plants to their rose garden each year.

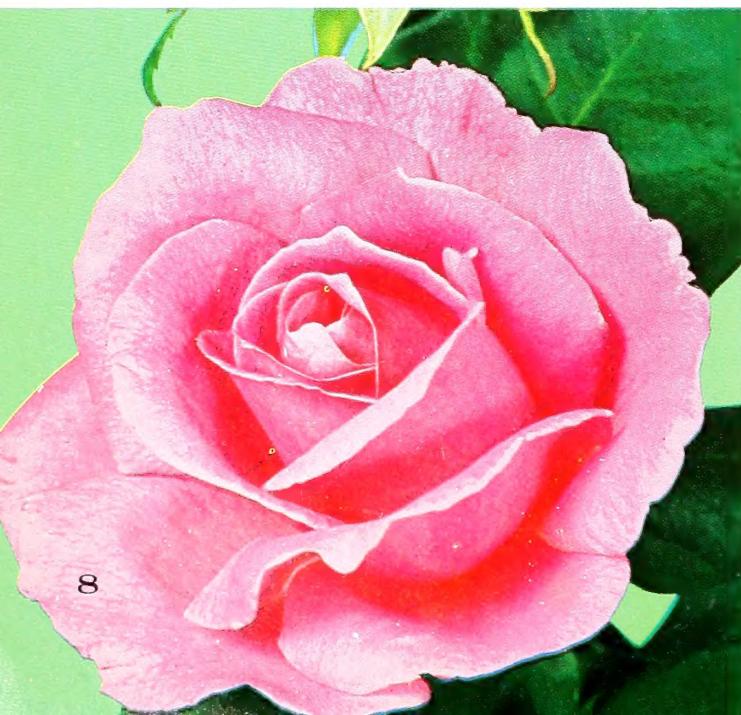
Bewitched

(left) NEW FOR 1967! Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts.) Plant Pat. App. For. Here is

a clear phlox-pink Hybrid Tea rose as elegant and bright as it is brand new. Bewitched is a very large-flowered rose, some 5 inches in diameter. The beautiful, long, gracefully pointed buds, especially attractive at the one-fourth open state, open slowly to high-centered, perfectly formed blooms of 35 to 40 petals. The large flowers are produced freely on long, sturdy stems and will enchant you with their penetrating fragrance . . . an hypnotic fragrance comparable to that of Damask perfume.

Bewitched is an excellent rose for cutting. In addition to its beautiful clear bloom, its spicy fragrance, and long cutting stems, bouquets of this rose have been known to outlast most other rose varieties by several days. The plant is remarkably vigorous; of tall, compact habit and is covered with most attractive, medium green, holly-like foliage. This is a superb offspring of the famous Queen Elizabeth with similar vigor, disease resistance, beauty, fragrance and free bloom. It is bound to please all who grow it.

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FALL 1967 ORDER SHEET

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Star Boss

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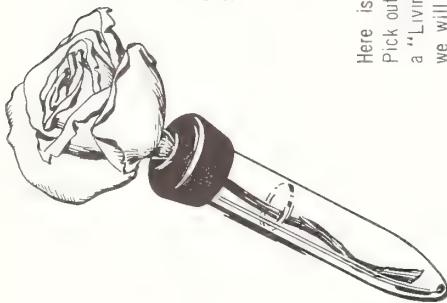
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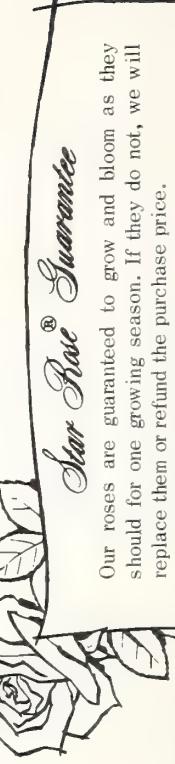
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FALL 1967

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John F Kennedy (right) Hybrid Tea. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 2441.* This living memorial to the late President John F. Kennedy is a pure white rose of classic form and wonderful fragrance. The long, graceful white bud is just slightly tinged with pale green. In both bud and open stage, the flowers are high-centered and fully double, averaging from 35 to 40 petals. Buds open to pure white blooms 5 to 6 inches across, and hold their purity of color until the flower reaches the peak of its bloom. The firmness of the petal texture holds unchanging color and resists the effects of wind and rain. The plant is quite strong and upright, growing to an average of 4 feet in height. It's an excellent rose for the "front row." The plant is thickly covered with dark foliage that is highly disease-resistant and forms a most complimentary base for the alabaster-white flowers.

\$4 ea.—3 or more, \$3.55 ea.



Offer No. 9

4 FAMOUS ROSES

AMERICAN HERITAGE
BEWITCHED
JOHN F. KENNEDY
CAMELOT

4 PLANTS—\$12.85



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Camelot (left) Grandiflora. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2371.* Camelot is a luminous coral-pink rose with a shimmering iridescence. The buds, high-centered at first, then somewhat cupped, open to blooms of classic beauty, 5 inches and more across, each having a very rich, spicy fragrance. These abundantly petaled, double blooms of firm substance are borne usually three or more on long, strong-stemmed candelabra. Tall, sturdy canes hold them upright, ready for cutting or admiring. Bloom comes freely all season long. What's more, the distinctive, lively coral-pink remains rich and radiant throughout the long life of the bloom. This is an easy-to-care-for variety, too. The plant is tall, quite vigorous and covered with lustrous, deep green foliage. Camelot has just about everything you could want in a rose—beauty, vigor, lots of bloom and long-lasting qualities. You'll particularly like this rose for its cutting qualities. The blooms are plentiful, long-lasting, fragrant and come on long stems.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.



Garden State (left) Grandiflora. (House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2349.* This rose has an inviting, deep, cool pink color which keeps its freshness even on the hottest days. The beauty of deep pink or light red buds opening to an appealing, deep, cool pink is further enhanced because Garden State grows tall enough to show them off. The bud is classic and opens well, bursting into a large, solid bloom with 35 to 45 big petals of firm texture. Very strong, thick canes carry the blooms usually one to the long stem, but sometimes in candelabras of several. Foliage is a deep, glossy green, very thick and luxuriant. Fragrance is a light tea. Garden State should be planted in the "back row," however, where its impressive stature will not overshadow other kinds.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.



Orange Flame (right) Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2141.* One of the most eye-catching colors ever introduced . . . a smoky orange-scarlet, flame-like and irresistibly attractive. Orange Flame's big, well-pointed, smoldering buds open to very large, very high-centered blooms with large petals of good substance flaring outward in fine rose form. Bloom comes regularly and consistently; usually one to the long stem, excellent for cutting. Orange Flame is a strong, upright grower with many branches and good medium heavy canes. Large, glossy foliage of rich green adds appeal and good balance. Fragrance is strong and pleasing. This strikingly different rose with its exceptional form and color will be an outstanding addition to your garden.

\$2.75 ea.—3 or more, \$2.40 ea.



White Knight (left) Hybrid Tea. (House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1359.* The first white Hybrid Tea All-America Winner . . . a clean, pure white rose that does not fade. White Knight gives you classic, exhibition type bud and bloom of exceptional quality. The perfectly shaped buds open to large, satiny white blooms up to 5 inches across, coming usually singly on strong stems. It is an excellent rose for cutting—the form and substance of the buds and blooms hold well in the garden or in an arrangement. The plant has moderate vigor and good disease-resistance and grows to about 3 feet in height. To appreciate its elegance, plant White Knight in the front or middle of the garden.

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5 PLANTS
GARDEN STATE
WHITE KNIGHT
INDIANA
ORANGE FLAME
GOLDEN GIRL

\$12.75

Golden Girl (right) Grandiflora.
(House of Meilland.)

Plant Pat. 1912. An exceptionally fine yellow rose that produces a tremendous amount of bloom all season long. Clear, solid yellow, sculptured buds open into magnificent, perfectly formed, fully double flowers, 4 to 5 inches across. We believe this to be one of the very best pure yellow roses. The plant is pleasing, very upright, shapely, well-branched and vigorous. Beautiful, solid dark green foliage covers the plant, fully providing a perfect background for the multitude of golden flowers. With its great freedom of bloom and growth—its excellent substance and color—its touch of perfume, Golden Girl is bound to be a favorite yellow rose for many years to come.

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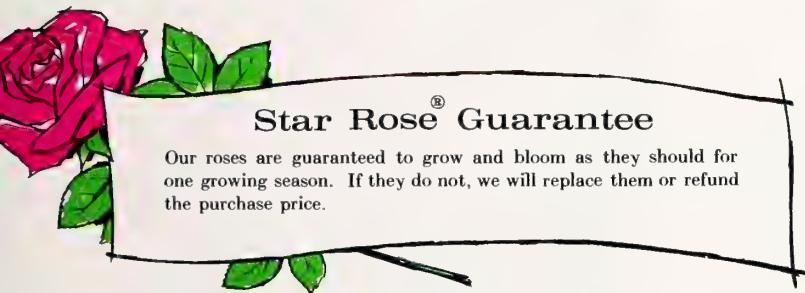
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Confidence (left) Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat.* 1192.

One of the most rewarding roses you can have. Confidence is noted for its large blooms and excellent form. The lovely color is an intricate blend of pastel peach tones . . . bright, light yellow at the base of the petals with a delicate shading of shrimp-pink at the petal edges, many times separated with a splash of luminous off-white. The long, streamlined buds open to high-centered, 5-inch blooms of exhibition quality. Confidence has a good sound plant, upright, bushy and solidly branched . . . a rose good enough to win the coveted "Most Beautiful Rose of France" award. This is one of those roses that have kept their popularity for many years. Why not order several?

\$2.50 ea.—3 or more, \$2.20 ea.

Swarthmore

(right) Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat.* 2444.

Here is an unusually beautiful two-toned deep pink rose that has outstanding, high-centered form. From the ground up, Swarthmore is an exhibitor's delight. It has the longest, largest bud of any rose we grow, and as the buds open, the petals pull away from the center, outward and downward, in an unusual and attractive fashion accentuating the size and beauty of the flower. The bloom opens crisp and clean, displaying its two tones of deep, clear rose-red in a most effective manner. Each bloom, with 45 to 55 exquisitely formed petals, measures up to 5 inches across and is produced on tremendously long, sturdy stems. A fine cutting rose, it bears its bloom freely and continuously all season long. The plant is tall but well-branched. Large, leathery, ivy-green foliage covers the long canes completely, adding a lush, fresh richness to the overall effect of the rose. A light touch of exotic perfume adds a special charm.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.



Lady Elgin

(left) Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat.* 1469.

Medium long, well-sculptured buds of rich deep orange open to beautiful blooms of slightly lighter apricot tones with tints of orange and just a hint of red. It is a warm, inviting rose of unusual exhibition quality. The buds open to large, solid blooms of 35 to 45 big, firm petals with fine texture. The distinctive color remains vivid throughout the life of the bloom. Lady Elgin is a tall rose — strong and upright. The long, strong canes are substantially covered with most attractive sea-green foliage which highlights the rich blooms. There is a subtle, lovely perfume, too.

\$2.50 ea.—3 or more, \$2.20 ea.



Oklahoma

(right) Hybrid Tea. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2326.*

Here is perhaps the blackest red rose you've ever seen.

It's an unusual color, giving this big rose a look of luxuriant beauty. The bud is handsome, medium long and full, with curled-back edges shading into a velvet scarlet. The 45 to 55 large, velvety petals produce an exquisite bloom of excellent substance and perfect form . . . a superb exhibition type bloom with very good keeping qualities both on the plant and when cut. Possessing a delightful, heady fragrance, Oklahoma has an overall air of distinction with that "something special" you'll appreciate. The plant is medium tall, somewhat spreading and beautifully covered with heavy, shiny green foliage. A rose in the classic style, you'll like its unusual charm and beauty.

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Offer No. 15

A WELL-BALANCED GARDEN

SWARTHMORE	LADY ELGIN	KING'S RANSOM
CONFIDENCE	OKLAHOMA	MOUNT SHASTA

6 PLANTS—**\$15.45** Save \$2.05



Mount Shasta

(right) Grandiflora. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2132.*

Here is a big, strong, wonderful white rose. The first white Grandiflora. Enormous, long-pointed, gleaming white buds stand tall on their very long, strong stems. The huge, high-centered, fragrant flowers are equally dramatic with their big, snow-white petals curling outward in a majestic fashion. Along with the large blooms, this rose has unusually good substance, form and holding qualities. The upright bloom and exceptionally long stems offer fine roses for cutting. Mount Shasta will not give you an over-abundance of bloom at any one time, but bloom is continuous all season long and the quality is extraordinary. Mount Shasta is a very tall rose with good vigor. Soild heavy canes hold the big blooms upright, under all conditions. Foliage is large, in keeping with the big plant and covers it well. Mount Shasta is an outstanding rose you'll appreciate.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.



King's Ransom

(left) Hybrid Tea. (Morey.) *Plant Pat. 2103.* Here is a vibrant, big rose

which produces splendid, gleaming golden yellow blooms.

From the tightly curled, medium long buds, King's Ransom's big 5-inch, fully double, golden flowers show excellent form with delightful high centers. The bloom comes singly on long stems, excellent for cutting and arranging. The plant is medium tall and grows fairly upright with good, strong, heavy canes. Foliage is a good shiny green on the upper sides and a satiny, darker green on the undersides. King's Ransom has a nice lingering fragrance to add to its many other good qualities.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.



Granada

(below) Hybrid Tea. (Lindquist.) *Plant Pat.* 2214.

This rose, in our opinion, is one of the finest, brightest kinds yet created and should be in every garden.

 It's a multicolor rose, brightly fluorescent in varying shades of scarlet, nasturtium-red and gleaming lemon-yellow. The beautiful, urn-shaped buds open into sculptured, graceful, medium-size blooms of fine form and substance. Granada is a very prolific bloomer, producing many brilliantly colored blooms all season long. A few come singly to the stem, but most appear in brilliant candelabras of 3, 4 or more. The plant is strong and vigorous, growing medium tall and very upright. Attractive, dark green, holly-like foliage is in keeping with its bright festive atmosphere. Be sure to include this cheery rose in your order.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.



Queen Elizabeth

(above) Grandiflora. (Lam-merts.) *Plant Pat.* 1259.

 Known as "Every man's Rose" because no one who has ever grown it has been disappointed. This excellent pink is simply perfect in form, substance and color. It is the best pink Grandiflora rose. Queen Elizabeth has probably the finest true pink color to be found in any rose . . . it's light in tone, but solid, evenly distributed and fine-textured. Buds are medium length, opening into beautifully shaped flowers, becoming cup-shaped as the bloom matures. Flowers are produced freely all season long in large candelabras. Large, glossy, very heavy leaves cover the tall, upright plant most effectively. Extra vigorous, it needs plenty of room to grow.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.

Montezuma

(right) Grandiflora. (Swim.) *Plant Pat.* 1383. This fine rose typifies the true Grandiflora with its wonderful Hybrid Tea-like blooms and its plentiful supply of flowers. Montezuma is a brilliant rosy salmon color that holds well. The bud is rather short, but shapely . . . very attractive in itself. Blooms are high-centered, composed of 40 petals, and are borne on medium long, strong stems. This is a tall rose, growing up to 5 feet; it is bushy, almost as wide as tall and well-branched. The medium sized foliage is a very appealing, semi-glossy light green.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.

Sutter's Gold (right) Hybrid Tea. (Swim.) Plant Pat. 885.

This fine All-America Award Winner is a delightful gold touched with flushes of pink and vermillion and a dash of copper. Sutter's Gold is a very lively rose that seems to actually gleam as the sun highlights the copper and gold. You'll find that this rose lives up to its reputation as an All-America . . . the medium long bud is slender and well-pointed; a classic in itself. As it slowly unfurls, the dark rich copper tones are prominently displayed against shining gold—a rich, deep, luxurious combination. The blooms are medium large, 4 to 5 inches across, with fine texture. It's a solid bloom that holds well and is held firmly upright on good stems. With its rich intense fragrance, bushy but upright plant, large waxy green foliage, and good disease resistance, Sutter's Gold is an immensely rewarding rose.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.

War Dance (lower right) Grandiflora. (Swim & Weeks.) Plant Pat. 2017. A red-hot flaming rose . . . a brilliant, fiery orange mixed with vivid scarlet. The tight, solid, oval buds are an unusual rich, dark red, almost black, and open into a flaming, very double, high-centered flower. Blooms come one or several to the stem. The 35 to 40 petals form a rose of excellent substance and with enough delicate curl to the petal edges to add that special touch of interest. The plant is very stocky; large canes of medium height grow rather spreading—almost as broad as high, to give it a little extra room to spread out. In fact, with its vivid color and low, compact habit, this is one of the finest "front-row" roses we know of. The foliage is exceptionally fine; its deep copper-green forms a solid mass over the entire plant. War Dance is a rugged, dependable performer that creates a hot spot of color with just one plant . . . spectacular when in groups of two, or three or more.

\$2.75 ea.—3 or more, \$2.40 ea.



Offer No. 11

5 PLANTS

GRANADA
QUEEN ELIZABETH
MONTEZUMA
SUTTER'S GOLD
WAR DANCE

\$13.45





Mojave (left) Hybrid Tea. (Swim.) *Plant Pat. 1176.* Here is a rose famous for its exciting coppery red brilliance of bud and bloom. In fact, Mojave is an excellent rose that has just not gotten the acclaim it so justly deserves, for it will please in so many ways. Mojave is the kind of rose that you need to give a "lift" to your garden. The graceful flaming buds are long, more urn-shaped than pointed—an exceptionally fine, classic bud. The high-centered, richly scented blooms are of good substance, measuring 4 to 4½ inches across. Blooms come, usually, singly on medium long, strong stems, making them excellent for cutting, as well as admiring in your garden. The plant is tall, vigorous, upright and very free-blooming. Foliage is attractive and large; forest-green in color. This is a very beautiful rose and well worth having.



Offer No. 18

FOR GOOD COLOR AND
FRAGRANCE

3 PLANTS

TIFFANY MOJAVE
CHRISTIAN DIOR

\$7.95

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.

Helen Traubel (left) Hybrid Tea. (Swim.) *Plant Pat.*

1028. A distinctive and exquisite blend of apricot and shell-pink makes Helen Traubel a soft, alluring rose that's quite different from any other in your garden. We believe this to be one of the very best pink roses ever to receive the coveted All-America Award, not only from a color standpoint, but from an overall judgment of blooms, plant, foliage, vigor and quantity of flowers. Helen Traubel has excellent form and substance, in both bud and bloom. The large, medium long bud opens its 25 to 30 large, clean petals to a fine, high-centered rose, later becoming somewhat flat. Bloom is carried on long, slender stems. This is a very fine garden rose because of the great amount of bloom which comes all season long. The plant is medium tall, and often grows as broad as tall. Plant it in the front or middle of your rose bed and give it a little extra room to grow.



\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.

Christian Dior (left) Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant*

Pat. 1943. Magnificent crimson-red overlaid with an iridescent scarlet combined with exquisite form make Christian Dior an outstanding red rose. This is a rich, exciting rose whose coloring remains beautifully steadfast throughout the life of the bloom. The Christian Dior flower is solidly substantial, its 50 to 60 petals forming a big bloom which is high-centered and very double, with excellent exhibition quality. The bud is medium large and pointed; opens slowly. A tall, vigorous, upright plant, Christian Dior has excellent rich green foliage and a light Tea fragrance.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.

Candy Stripe

(right) Hybrid Tea. (McCummings.)
Plant Pat. 2278. Candy Stripe is a

deep, dusky-pink with stripes and streaks at random in off-white and light pink running through the inside of the petals. A sport of Pink Peace, this rose produces great quantities of big, colorful blooms. The solid but well-pointed buds open to 6-inch blooms containing 60 to 65 gaily striped petals. The plant itself is quite tall, standing strongly upright and has fine growing ability. The foliage is very striking, medium green with lighter green ribbing, and covers the sturdy canes right up to the base of the flower. Candy Stripe is more than a good rose. Its beauty is uniquely different . . . so much so that it becomes an immediate standout in your garden; a focal point for all to enjoy.

\$3 ea.—3 or more, \$2.65 ea.

Garden Party

(right center) Hybrid Tea. (Swim.)
Plant Pat. 1814. The sculptured

AARS blooms of this All-America Winner are a soft delicate combination of rich ivory in the center of the bloom giving way to creamy tones and finally to a delicate flush of appleblossom-pink. In spite of its soft tones, Garden Party is a dramatic rose with 25 to 30 large flaring petals with excellent texture and substance. Bloom is plentiful and continues all season long. The plant is tall, very strong and well-branched. Handsome foliage provides the perfect background for this very lovely, very alluring rose. The fact that Garden Party has won its fair share of awards at rose shows everywhere is proof of the beauty and quality that you will enjoy all season long. You'll appreciate this rose.

\$3.50 ea.—3 or more, \$3.10 ea.

Tiffany

(lower right) Hybrid Tea. (Lindquist.) Plant
Pat. 1304. AN EXCEPTIONAL ROSE . . .

AARS A wonderful, beautiful, extremely fragrant rose that should certainly be in everyone's garden. Tiffany is every bit as elegant a rose as the name implies. The dramatic blending of light pink tinged with pale gold gives one the impression of pink champagne. Just as sparkly and just as lovely. The exquisitely shaped, tight buds open to 4 to 5-inch blooms which are very high-centered and very double. Tiffany combines unusually beautiful, flared petals with excellent substance and form; this is a rose that has long lasting qualities on the plant or in a bouquet. And what fragrance . . . a strong, pleasing fragrance that literally fills the room. The plant is medium tall, very upright and moderately branched. Foliage is medium large, light green and plentiful.

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Offer No. 19

FOR LOTS OF BLOOM

6 PLANTS

MOJAVE

HELEN TRAUBEL

CHRISTIAN DIOR

CANDY STRIPE

GARDEN PARTY

TIFFANY

\$16.80





Blanche Mallerin (above) Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin.) Blanche Mallerin is a pure white whose long, urn-shaped bud is the classic example of what a rosebud should be. In fact, this is a rose worth having just for the exquisite buds. Yet the open bloom, too, is majestic beauty in its own right. Buds open beautifully to modeled blooms of pure satiny white . . . 4½ inches across and of superb form and substance. The plant is bushy, well-branched but quite upright in habit, with good, heavy canes. Foliage is medium size, leathery and of excellent cedar-green color. There's a moderate, but extremely sweet fragrance.

\$2 ea.—3 or more, \$1.75 ea.

highlight your garden with



Lowell Thomas (above) Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin.) A true, rich, unfading yellow with blooms opening to high-cupped, bright flowers of 25 petals or more and measuring up to 4 inches across. Buds are average long, oval but attractive. A slight tea fragrance comes from flowers borne generally in clusters of 3, 4 or more on medium stems. Plant is bushy, medium height—a good grower. Large, lustrous green foliage.

\$2.25 ea.—3 or more, \$2 ea.



Mirandy (left) Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts.) Famed for its high-centered form, the richness of its deep wine-red color and the magic of its intriguing perfume. Dark red buds open to large, 50-petaled blooms with good substance. The plant is vigorous—a steady producer of flowers and grows to medium height. Good semi-glossy, dark green foliage.

\$2.25 ea.—3 or more, \$2 ea.

Offer No. 20

4 PLANTS
PEACE
CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG
BLANCHE MALLERIN
MIRANDY

\$7.00

these . . . Six All Time Favorites



Crimson Glory (above) Hybrid Tea. (Kordes.) An older rose with a tremendous reputation, even today, for its beauty, color and heavy fragrance. The lovely, dark red, pointed buds open to large, double blooms with good substance. Crimson Glory blooms freely on a very strong but low-growing plant with many branches. An excellent rose for the front row. Foliage is large, very full, and of a good, clean, dark green color.

\$2 ea.—3 or more, \$1.75 ea.



Charlotte Armstrong (above) Hybrid Tea. (Lammerts.) This vibrant, strikingly beautiful rose is oftentimes called "The First Lady of Hybrid Teas" and is perhaps unsurpassed for its overall combination of color, form and profusion of bloom. The perfect buds are intense carmine-red in color, with an undertone of flame. Each bud is long and slender and opens to a high-centered, waxy-petaled bloom of bright rose-red. The tall plant (up to 5 feet) is extra hardy and disease-resistant. The large blooms, 4 to 6 inches, are produced in great abundance on medium to long stems and come many times singly, sometimes 3 or more to the stem.

\$2 ea.—3 or more, \$1.75 ea.

Peace (right) Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) Peace is breathtaking in its beauty, size, color and form. The buds are golden yellow, enlivened by a flush of vivid pink at the petal edges. The bloom shows delicate tints of yellow, pale gold, cream and ivory, blending out to a lightly ruffled edge of delicate pink. The very double bloom, many times 6 inches or more across, comes on long, straight, strong stems. Handsome dark green foliage.

\$2 ea.—3 or more, \$1.75 ea.



Offer No. 21

6 PLANTS

PEACE	CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG
BLANCHE MALLERIN	CRIMSON GLORY
LOWELL THOMAS	MIRANDY

\$10.75



Nocturne (above) Hybrid Tea. (Swim.)
A fine grower everywhere.

This has been a long-time favorite for its ability to maintain good color even in the hottest weather. It has good form and fragrance. Long, pointed buds open to blooms of deep red with darker shadings. Nocturne is really one of the most attractive red roses we sell; you'll particularly love the long, beautiful bud. It is a real show rose. Vigorous plant grows fairly tall and is well-branched.

\$2.25 ea.—3 or more, \$2 ea.

Eclipse (below) Hybrid Tea. (Nicolas.)
The rose known for its perfect bud—long, slender and tapering; clear chrome-yellow in color. The medium-sized, very fragrant blooms come in profusion on a vigorous plant and are held upright on long strong stems. The plant has excellent habit; grows to medium height with good solid foliage.

\$2 ea.—3 or more, \$1.75 ea.



The Baker's Dozen

The Baker's Dozen Offer has been one of our most popular selections for many years. Our customers like it because it gives them an easy and reliable introduction to the wonderful world of roses. The Baker's Dozen includes 13 (each and every one different) of the finest, more popular kinds of Hybrid Tea Roses—all tried and proven roses that will do well with a minimum of care. All are 2-year-old, field-grown, No. 1 Grade Star Roses and every one guaranteed to grow and bloom.

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RADIANCE. Hybrid Tea. (Cook.) A light shell-pink with darker shadings on the outer side of the petals. Large, double blooms come on long stems. Very hardy, vigorous plant; tall-growing and free-blooming. Heavy, old rose fragrance. Fine for cutting.

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SIMONE. Hybrid Tea. (Mallerin.) *Plant Pat. 1847.* A rose noted for its clear, pastel lilac color and large blooms. Solid buds open to double, lightly fragrant blooms, often up to 6 inches across. Plant is strong, rugged and low-growing, with leathery, glossy foliage.

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SOEUR THERESE. Hybrid Tea. This is a beautiful buttercup-yellow with fine buds opening to large, double blooms with good substance. Plant is very vigorous, growing to medium height. Quite branched. Foliage is good, leathery, with good disease resistance. Light fragrance. Excellent for cutting.

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SUSPENSE. Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1944.* An unusual coloration of two-tone red on the upper side of the petals and tan-yellow on the underside produces a strikingly beautiful combination. Huge, 6-inch blooms. Plant is quite tall.

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SUZON LOTTHE. Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 934.* Soft enticing pearl-like sheens of cream-white shading into a delicate pink make this rose most unusual. Buds open into voluptuous blooms with a light, delicious fragrance. The plant is vigorous and disease-resistant.

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TALISMAN. Hybrid Tea. (Howard.) A very lovely rose and orange color combination. Pointed buds open to medium size, double blooms with good fragrance. This is a rose that is at its best in spring and fall—not much in midseason. Fairly tall grower with long stems. Light, leathery green foliage.

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TAPESTRY. Hybrid Tea. (Fisher.) *Plant Pat. 1812.* This rose is notable for its ever-changing hues of flame, yellow and copper colors. Double blooms open to large, 4½ to 5-inch size with spicy fragrance. The plant is exceptionally vigorous, but low-growing and very branched. A fine "front-row" rose.

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THE DOCTOR. Hybrid Tea. (Howard.) Lovely satin pink; very appealing in a bouquet. Long, pointed buds open to very large, 5 to 6-inch blooms with good form and substance. Very fragrant. Low to medium height grower with good foliage that accentuates the bloom. Not a prolific bloomer but excellent quality.

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TRAVIATA. Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2283.* An unusual combination of white and red tones. The highly fragrant, high-centered blooms come on strong canes and a medium tall plant, that is upright and shapely, with good disease resistance. Excellent medium green foliage.

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VASSAR CENTENNIAL. Hybrid Tea. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2031.* An exhibition type of lovely apricot and peach coloring. Huge, 6-inch blooms are borne singly on long stems. Plant is fairly tall, with excellent foliage. Light, spicy fragrance.

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Love Song (below) Hybrid Tea. (Fisher.) *Plant Pat. 1360.* A bright creation of rich watermelon-pink on the inside of the petals and gleaming yellow on the outside. The huge buds have excellent form and display the two-toned beauty boldly in a clean crisp manner. As many as 100 large petals form a very double, well-shaped bloom. Medium height plant grows upright and is well covered with rich, waxy deep green foliage. This colorful rose has a good rich fragrance to add to its many other attributes.

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SEA FOAM

Sea Foam

Hybrid Shrub Rose. (Ernest Schwartz.) *Plant Pat. 2463.* One of the most remarkable and most useful roses of all time. Small, well-formed, pointed buds open to 2 to 3-inch, double blooms of pure white that age gradually to a delicate, lovely cream color. *Sea Foam* is a tough, hardy, vigorous rose and almost completely free of any disease. *Sea Foam* has unlimited uses . . . as a specimen plant, as a border or broad low hedge; tied to a trellis or fence, it makes a fine white pillar rose. Also perfect for ground cover in a sunny location or on a bank. Blooms continuously all season long.

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(Shamburger.) *Plant Pat. 2329.* Here is a very tall-growing shrub or pillar rose that is superb as an individual accent plant on the lawn and is also dramatic in a row as a background or as a tall hedge. *Pillar of Fire* grows to 8 feet or more and is always bright with vivid flowers of a sparkling coral-red. Blooms come in clusters from top to bottom of the plant, forming, in effect, a pillar of fire. It is strong enough to stand alone or can be tied to trellis or fence as a climbing rose.

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Otto Linne

(Lambert.) A rose we've had the pleasure to bring back from obscurity, and our own enthusiasm has been more than matched by appreciative gardeners. *Otto Linne* grows to about 3 to 4 feet, its strong canes carrying enormous trusses of deep rose-pink flowers. Foliage is a light, clear green color, glossy and very full. Plant is exceptionally vigorous and it grows upward, then outward, making a vase-shaped effect. One truss of flowers makes a whole bouquet. It too is a carefree, disease-resistant rose.

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Fran Karl Druschki (not illustrated)

(Lambert.) This rose is a real old-timer. It has been famous and in demand since the turn of the century because of its huge, double white flowers which open from classic buds tinged delicately with carmine-pink. The bush is tall and extremely vigorous. Foliage is an eye-catching, very dark green. Most people use this durable, but beautiful rose as a specimen or accent plant, although it can be spaced out in a row.

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THE FAIRY



PILLAR OF FIRE

OTTO LINNE



FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Fashion (left) Floribunda. (Boerner.) A classic—one of the most beautiful of the Floribundas. Its color is a distinctive, very appealing, soft coral-peach-pink combination. It's a very refreshing color that holds well, always looks alluringly beautiful. The solid, oval, deep peach buds open slowly to 3 to 3½-inch blooms of fine form and substance. Quite fragrant. Fashion grows to about 3 feet in height, has good disease resistance and rich, hardy foliage.

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Gay Princess (left) Floribunda. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. App. For.* A lovely, soft, shell-pink Floribunda having Hybrid-Tea shaped flowers. Gay Princess is an excellent new addition to the large-flowered Floribundas, for it has color, excellent form and vigor. The color is really exceptional. It's an almost soft, creamy shell-pink that holds well, making it captivating in the garden; lovely when used for cutting, and there are unlimited quantities available. Gay Princess seems to constantly produce masses of these large, beautiful blooms all season; blooms hold up well in all kinds of weather at most any time of the season. The plant is bushy, medium tall and quite vigorous. The foliage is quite decorative and is consistently carried right to the base of the plant.

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Roman Holiday (right) Floribunda. (Lindquist.) *Plant Pat. App. For.* Roman Holiday is a new, brilliant orange-red Floribunda; really a bi-color with a rich yellow base shading into the gleaming bright orange-red of the bloom. The urn-shaped buds open into flowers 2½ to 3 inches across. The blooms are fully double, with 25 to 30 bright petals and are high-centered even when fully open . . . an exceptionally fine trait in any rose and one which you will appreciate. Typical of a Floribunda, this free-blooming variety carries most of its blossoms in great clusters, but occasionally a few are borne on single stems. Either way it is a fine rose for cutting. The plant is compact and well-branched, with dark green, leathery foliage completely clothing the plant and complementing its brilliant orange-red blooms.

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Floribunda Roses Serve Many Purposes Formally and Informally

Floribunda Roses are really the "Jack of all Trades" of the rose garden. They bear flowers that are individually attractive but in such great quantity that each bush is a colorful garden display all season long. The flowers which are borne profusely in clusters are usually cup-shaped to partially flat. Plants are vigorous, medium to low growing and quite hardy. Color and fragrance range is essentially the same as that of the Hybrid Teas.

The tremendous show of color and compact habit make Floribunda roses extremely versatile . . . use them in the rose garden, singly or in groups of 3 or more as accent plants or have a really spectacular display by using them in a hedge or border. Today's modern Floribunda is truly a value in beauty. Floribundas are easy to grow and maintain. And with the improved flower form of today's Floribundas, giving them more of the classic "Tea" shape, they are bound to gain in popularity every year.

Fire King

(right) Floribunda. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1758.*

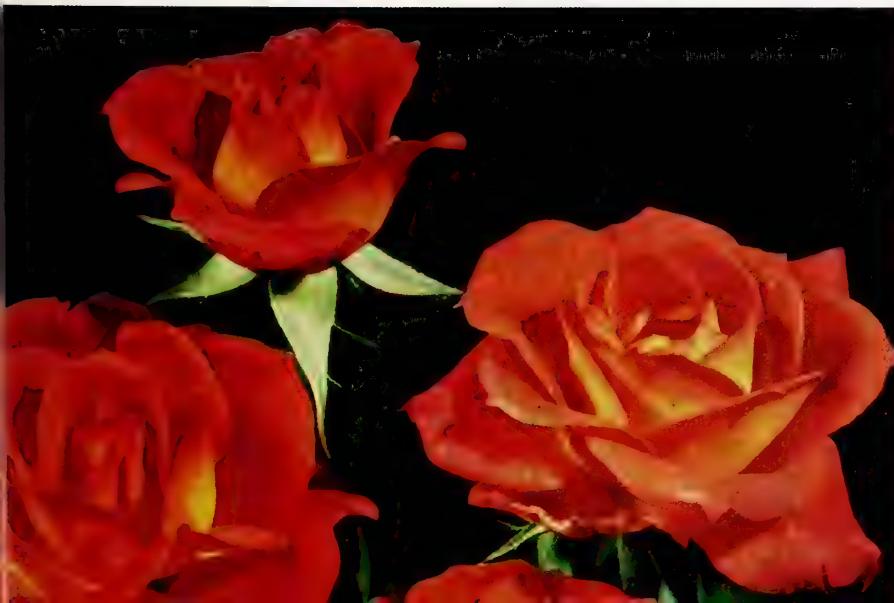
 The color of this rose is gorgeously displayed from beautiful deep red pointed buds through profuse blooms of the glamorous brilliant orange-red, much brighter than the picture here shows. The unusually long-lasting blooms have perfect form . . . fully double, neat-looking flowers of 45 to 50 petals forming $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3-inch blooms. They come regularly in heavy-laden clusters, but with stems long enough for excellent cutting. The plant grows in fine, lusty, upright style with strong vigor. Foliage is unusually beautiful—a deep, dark, rich green. Fire King always looks great in the garden; spectacular as a hedge.

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Sunspot

(lower right) Floribunda. (Fisher.) *Plant Pat. 2576.* From rich butter-yellow buds, large, double flowers open to a bright, sunny yellow. Blooms are often up to 5 inches across, fully as large as many Hybrid Teas. Flowers are borne in great profusion, the graceful yellow blooms literally covering the entire plant. Bloom comes occasionally singly to the stem, but more frequently in clusters on medium long stems. The plant is of good vigor, growing rather upright but at the same time mound-shaped to middle height and is covered with light green foliage of medium size that sets off the abundant bloom.

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Zambra (upper left) Floribunda. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2140.* An exceptionally beautiful Floribunda . . . a real bright peppy orange color with just a hint of red. Zambra has just about the most beautiful buds you would ever hope to see. Both the bud and open flower have perfect form and substance, with flowers coming several to the stem. The medium-height plant is bushy and vigorous. The foliage is leathery and a refreshing ivy-green. There's light sweetbrier fragrance you'll like, too.

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Circus (above center) Floribunda. (Swim.) *Plant Pat. 1382.* Here is a bright, happy rose—dancing red, yellow, pink and orange colors mixed in wonderful abandon—a most unusual and beautiful rose. The strong, rugged plant bears the 2½ to 3-inch blooms in profusion. The well-formed buds, with much show of red and orange, burst into high-centered blooms of excellent form and substance, containing 45 to 50 petals. The bushy, well-branched plant makes an excellent, colorful hedge or a wonderful show of color around a patio or foundation planting.

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Snow Fairy (upper right) Floribunda. (Camprubi.) *Plant Pat. 2376.* This beautiful white rose produces many, many flowers all the time because it has the unusual ability to grow new canes from the base and sides while in full flower. Blooms are pure white, opening from small, shapely buds to well-formed, medium-sized blooms. The plant is compact, excellently shaped and grows to medium height. A very pleasing fragrance adds to the overall charm of Snow Fairy.

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Polka (left) Floribunda. (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1939.* A lively, shimmering pink-pink; very showy. Cup-shaped blooms with 40 to 45 velvety-textured petals, high-centered at first, becoming flat open as the bloom matures. Plant is of medium height with a dense, bushy and well-balanced growth habit. Strong, very free-blooming with a nice Tea rose fragrance. This is an exceptionally fine rose to add that unusual color to your garden. Its color and holding qualities make it fine for cutting and arranging, too. Plant 3 or more for that unusual spot of color that will be the talking point of your garden.

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A ROSE WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND

Rumba

Floribunda. (Poulsen.) *Plant Pat. 1919.* A riot of poppy-red and pure gold that's sure to liven up any spot in your garden. Rumba is a gay, charming rose with solid blooms just 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide. Tight, oval buds unfurl into solid, double blooms of 30 to 35 petals which are very long-lasting on the plant or in an arrangement. There is a light but spicy fragrance to add to the charm of the wonderful rose. Rumba is a very vigorous, medium height grower with lavish green foliage. This very sturdy and disease-resistant rose also makes a good hedge.

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Lavender Girl (below) **Floribunda.** (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1672.* Here is an unfading, real lavender with depth of color. The urn-shaped, ruby-red buds open to the loveliest of rich, deep lavenders. The blooms are well-formed, very double and solid, measuring up to $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches. The low, bushy plant bears the blooms on medium stems. Excellent dark green foliage accents the color of the rose.

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OTHER FLORIBUNDAS

APRICOT NECTAR. *Floribunda. (Boerner.) Plant Pat. 2594.* A gay, dancing flower with rich, delightful, haunting fragrance. Color is a lovely, rich apricot. Firm buds open into graceful flowers 4 to 5 inches across. The plant is sturdy, medium tall and very well branched; covered with bright green, very clean foliage.

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BETTY PRIOR. *Floribunda. (Prior.)* A wonderful old rose brought back by popular demand. Large, spreading clusters of bloom resembling red dogwood in shape, size and color cover the plant in profusion. Rich, spicy fragrance. Plant is probably the tallest of all Floribundas, growing to 4 feet or more. Superb for shrub or hedge use. Very hardy.

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FLORADORA. *Floribunda. (Tantau.)* A great favorite for years, Floradora is noted for its very showy, 5-petaled blooms of brilliant geranium or cinnabar-red. Flowers are of good form and come in sprays of 6 to 12 blooms, making a massive and impressive display. The vigorous plant grows to medium height and is strongly upright.

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LA FONTAINE. *Floribunda. (The House of Meilland.) Plant Pat. 2040.* As clear a yellow as you will find in any rose. This is a good deep yellow that fairly shines. Flowers are large, up to 5 inches across, semi-double and are borne abundantly and continuously on a solid, low-growing plant. Foliage is small and leathery, a very rich, attractive green making the yellow blooms even more outstanding.

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SARABANDE. *Floribunda. (The House of Meilland.) Plant Pat. 1761.* An outstanding, iridescent, oriental red—a bright orange-red further enhanced with clear yellow stamens. Low, compact plant which produces masses of these brilliant flowers in clusters. Excellent hedge.

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SARATOGA. *Floribunda. (Boerner.) Plant Pat. 2299.* Has pure white, gardenia-like flowers. Blooms are exceptionally large, as much as $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches across. The well-formed buds are cream-colored and open to pure white. This rose offers a profusion of fragrant bloom all season long. The plant reaches $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet in height and has glossy, green foliage.

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SPARTAN. *Floribunda. (Boerner.) Plant Pat. 1357.* A beautiful, clear coral color, very bright. The solid blooms are 3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches across when fully open from the deep coral, well-pointed buds. Clusters of these bright, beautiful flowers come all season long and are excellent for cutting. Plant is tall and strong, reaching $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet in height with glossy foliage. Fragrance is exceptional.

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VOGUE. *Floribunda. (Boerner.) Plant Pat. 926.* A very pleasing Floribunda that offers a great deal in the way of bloom, color, growth and all-around appeal. Large flowers come in masses . . . each a soft, pleasing coral-red. Plant is tall, upright and quite vigorous with attractive deep green foliage.

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STAR CLIMB



Star Everblooming Climbers give you the showiest sight imaginable. You can use them to cover a fence or wall or trellis or to screen out unsightly areas or to touch up a drab spot with beautiful color. One bit of advice . . . don't prune away first-year canes, because Climbers produce flowers mostly on old wood. Just prune to keep in bounds or to remove dead wood. And, too, don't expect much bloom the first year of planting. It takes a full season to develop the canes necessary to provide the bloom. First-year bloom is only an added bonus.

Blossomtime (left) (Everblooming.) (O'Neal.) *Plant Pat. 1240.* This is a fine Climber with two-toned pink flowers that come in profusion—one of the most continuous-blooming of all Climbers. Beautifully formed buds open to lovely double blooms of light pink on the inside of the petals and a dark, rosy pink on the outside. Has a very pleasing fragrance. Medium-height plant.

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Red Empress (bottom left) (Everblooming.) (Mallerin.) *Plant Pat. 1573.* An excellent climbing rose with vivid, rich red blooms. Big 5-inch blooms come plentifully, with good fragrance. This is a consistently good rose with long, upright canes of good vigor. The exceptionally fine foliage and pleasing fragrance make this a fine rose for cutting, too.

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Don Juan (bottom center) (Everblooming.) (Malandrone.) *Plant Pat. 1864.* This pillar-type rose is a sensation from all aspects. The large, neatly formed buds open to large, fully double, 5-inch flowers of rich, dark red. Blooms continuously and has a very strong, pleasing fragrance. Very hardy.

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CLAIR MATIN (Everblooming.) (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2186.* Provides an abundance of semi-double, pleasing pink blooms in large clusters. Extra hardy and vigorous. Blooms almost continuously. Excellent, thick foliage.

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CITY OF YORK (Tantau.) Not a repeat bloomer, but it is the finest white. In Spring it is a solid mass of lovely, very fragrant, creamy white blooms. Excellent foliage, very vigorous.

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CLIMBING CRIMSON GLORY (Repeat Blooming.) (A. Naungayan.) A beautiful bright red climber with flowers like the regular Hybrid Tea bush (see p. 21). Intense, pleasing fragrance.

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CLIMBING PEACE (Repeat Blooming.) (The House of Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 932.* Has splendid yellow and pink-tinged flowers just like the famous Hybrid Tea (see p. 21). Needs plenty of room to grow, and don't expect a great many flowers for the first several years.

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CORAL DAWN (Everblooming.) (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 1117.* The 4½-inch, soft, beautiful rose-pink flowers cover the bush in clusters. Bloom is large, with nice fragrance. Strong grower with good foliage.

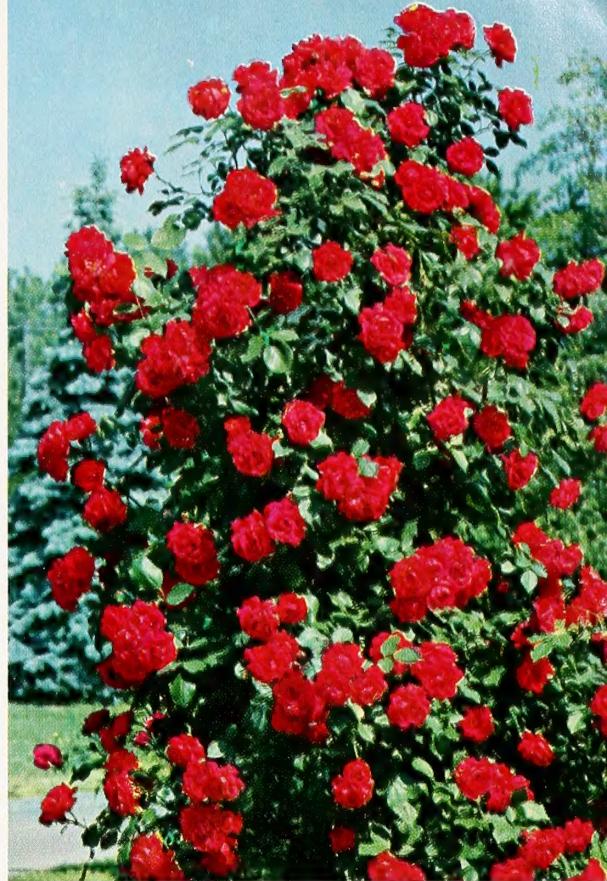
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NEW DAWN (Everblooming.) (Somerset.) A soft, lovely, blush-pink. Large blooms come in huge clusters. The very hardy plant with its strong canes needs room to grow.

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WHITE DAWN (Repeat Blooming.) (Longley.) One of the best white repeat-blooming Climbers, although it is rather shy on bloom. Blooms are pure white, semi-double and come in clusters.

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Blaze (*upper right*) (Improved Repeat Climber.) (Kallay.) This is the brilliant red rose seen everywhere. This improved strain now gives you colorful masses of flowers in June and again in fall, with some flowers in between. Bloom is medium size, 2 to 3 inches across, slightly fragrant and is produced on a very hardy, vigorous bush. The most popular climbing rose there is.

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Golden Showers (*left*) (Everblooming.) (Lammerts.) *Plant Pat. 1557.* The finest yellow Climber because it is so free-blooming. This All-America winner produces beautiful 5-inch blooms of solid daffodil-yellow . . . many the first year, and literally covers itself with bloom in the seasons thereafter. The plant is amazingly vigorous—so strong and thick are the canes that the plant will almost stand by itself.

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Floribunda. (G. de Ruiter.) Plant Pat. 2540. This new All-America Award Winner is an exceptional rose that has just about everything: excellent color, form, plant and a great amount of bloom all season long. Europeana produces tremendous clusters of satiny red bloom. The bloom is unusually long lasting, holding its color extremely well in virtually all kinds of weather. When cut and brought indoors, one spray makes a mass display that will last a week without fading. The double bloom of 25 to 30 petals opens from a tight, pointed bud to a delightful cup-shaped flower of good substance. The plant itself is most attractive. It is low, compact and well shaped, carrying the great masses of bloom on strong stems—a very solid but well blended effect of bright red floating on a base of lustrous rich green. It is this unusual combination of form and color plus almost continuous bloom that makes Europeana one of the finest Floribundas to come along in years. It is a true landscape or bedding Floribunda that will give complete satisfaction to anyone who plants.

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